

PURELY PERSONAL.

The Movements of Many People, Newberrians and Those Who Visit Newberry.

Mr. A. L. Aull, of Pomaria, was in Newberry on Tuesday.

Mr. J. W. Wessinger, of Peak, was in Newberry on Tuesday.

Mr. Jno. D. Cappelman, of Charleston, was in Newberry on Wednesday.

Hon. George S. Mower and son, Mr. McHardy Mower, are in Philadelphia.

Mrs. E. B. Johnson left on Wednesday for Woodruff, where she will visit relatives.

Miss Belle Hall, of Charlotte, is again with the Mower company, in charge of the millinery department.

Miss Lucile Ashley, of Augusta, Ga., and Mrs. C. B. Ashley, of Madison, Fla., are visiting Mrs. M. L. Spearman, in the city.

Mrs. J. B. Wosson returned to Fountain Inn on Wednesday, after a visit to her sister, Mrs. E. B. Johnson, in Newberry.

Hon. Cole L. Blease returned yesterday from Columbia, where he attended the meeting of the dispensary investigating committee on Wednesday.

VARIOUS AND ALL ABOUT.

The ladies of the Episcopal church will hold a rummage sale in Todd's store on Saturday.

Routine business consumed the time of city council at its regular session on Wednesday night.

In maintaining a deadlock the town of Prosperity is more adept than the Delaware and Missouri legislatures.—News and Courier.

The Library association will meet in the library rooms on Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock. A full attendance is urged.

The base ball season in Newberry opens this afternoon. Newberry college has a strong team and it deserves the encouragement and support of the people of Newberry.

The Children's society of Thompson Street A. R. P. church has placed on sale at S. B. Jones' and James F. Todd's some packages of fine salsefy, oyster plant, see

City council will receive sealed bids up to 6 o'clock on the evening of April 5, for the rent of the opera house for a period of three years, beginning September 3, 1905.

The Ladies Aid society of the Church of the Redeemer will meet with Mrs. D. B. Wheeler and Mrs. W. K. Sligh at Mrs. W. K. Sligh's next Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock.

Mrs. J. H. Hair has returned from the northern markets, where she purchased an elegant line of spring goods and millinery. Miss Catherine Journey is with Hair and Havird, in the millinery department. This firm is up-to-date in new goods and styles, and will be pleased to have the ladies call and examine the stock.

A full attendance is urged at the mass meeting of farmers and business men to be held in the court house at 11 o'clock tomorrow. Interest in the movement ought not to lag. Those in charge of the meeting are fortunate in having secured the Hon. R. I. Manning, of Sumter, for an address.

The Cash store has been moved to the store next to Summer Bros. clothing store and it is fitted up and looks as neat and prim as a pink and Richard Caldwell says that on yesterday the demand for embroidery and spring silks was so great that he had to press in the clerks from the other stores to wait on the trade. And the cheap sale continues today and tomorrow.

Death of J. C. DeHines.

Magistrate J. C. DeHines, of No. 3 township, died at his home on Wednesday, aged 43 years. The remains were interred at Mt. Pleasant on Wednesday, the funeral services being conducted by the Rev. J. J. Long. Mr. DeHines is survived by a wife and eight children; a father and mother, three sisters and one brother in Fairfield county, and one brother in Columbia. He had many friends throughout the county who were pained to learn of his death and who sympathize deeply with his family in their bereavement.

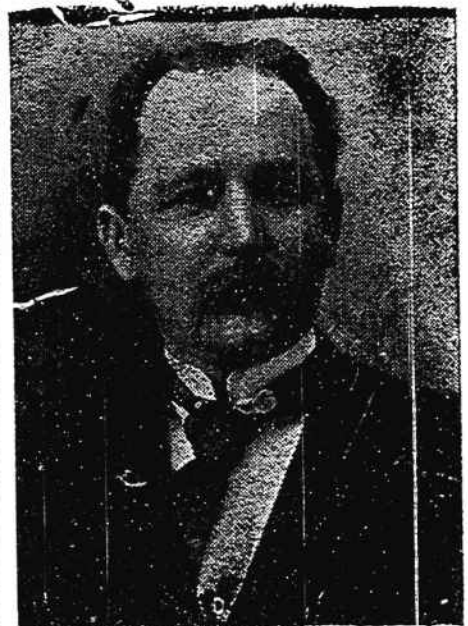
THE SOLICITOR'S RACE.

The Primary to be Held on Tuesday—Messrs. Schumpert and Cooper Are the Candidates.

The primary for solicitor of the new eighth judicial circuit, comprising the counties of Newberry, Saluda, Greenwood, Abbeville and Laurens, will be held on Tuesday. The two candidates in the race are Col. O. L. Schumpert, of Newberry, and Mr. R. A. Cooper, of Laurens.

It is not thought that a full vote will be polled, but a good vote is expected, and especially in Newberry and Laurens, the home counties of the two candidates.

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The names of the managers of election appointed to serve in the primary on next Tuesday have already been published. Boxes will be distributed to the managers at the court house on Saturday and Monday.

THROUGH CAR WINDOW.

Negro Under Arrest Made His Escape From C. N. & L. Train Near White Rock.

While being brought to this city on a Columbia, Newberry and Laurens train yesterday morning, Will Ruff, colored, who was arrested in Columbia by Deputy Sheriff Duncan Johnson on Wednesday night, charged with violation of contract, made his escape near White Rock by jumping through one of the windows of the car while the train was running at a good speed. The train was not stopped, and it is not known whether or not the negro was hurt in his daring leap for freedom.

Deputy Sheriff Johnson left Columbia with the negro shortly after midnight. The train was a freight carrying passenger coaches. The negro was handcuffed, but one of his hands had been released in order to permit him to help his wife, who was also on the train, care for their little children. When the train was in the vicinity of White Rock the negro was allowed to enter the water closet, and shortly after he jumped through the glass sash, carrying his handcuffs with him. It is not probable the negro's escape, even if he was not injured, will give him a long period of freedom, because when Sheriff Buford is on the look-out for one charged with crime he usually gets his man.

A Small Wreck.

All traffic on the Columbia and Greenville line of the Southern railway was delayed several hours yesterday afternoon by a small wreck one mile beyond Helena. Two empty freight cars on local freight No. 66, bound for Columbia, jumped the track yesterday before noon, necessitating holding in Newberry for several hours the passenger for Greenville due her at 1.23, the passenger for Columbia, due here at 12.50 being held on the other side of the wreck. Nobody was injured and very little damage was done.

MR. MANNING TO SPEAK.

Will Address Mass Meeting of Farmers and Business Men to be Held Tomorrow.

Hon. Richard I. Manning, of Sumter, has accepted an invitation to address the mass meeting of farmers and business men, to be held in the court house on Saturday morning at 11 o'clock, under the call of the Southern Cotton association of Newberry county. Mr. Manning is at present state senator from Sumter county. He has been prominently identified with the movement for a reduction in acreage since its inception and took an active part in the state convention of cotton growers held in Columbia some time ago. He is a speaker of ability, and it is hoped that every farmer and business man in the county who may be able to be present will hear his address tomorrow.

The call for the mass meeting tomorrow morning was issued by President R. T. C. Hunter, of the county association, who says:

"It is of the utmost importance that every farmer and business man in the county attend. Those appointed to secure pledges for reduction will please report to the county executive committee, which is hereby called to meet in the court house promptly at 10 o'clock on Saturday morning. We all must stand together as a unit in this movement or the result will be failure."

Attends Woodmen's Meeting.

Mr. A. H. Kohn, of Prosperity, left on Tuesday to attend the meeting of the Head Camp, Woodmen of the World, at Savannah, Ga. The meeting began on Wednesday and continued through Thursday. Mr. Kohn is a loyal Woodman and feels a deep interest in the order. The effect of the visit to Head camp will be felt for good in the camp at home. Quite an interest is being manifested over the erection of a monument to Mr. Sam A. Hawkins, deceased. This is the first monument that has been erected by the W. O. W. at Prosperity. It will be a lasting token and an influence for good.

ANOTHER TIE VOTE.

Deadlock in Race for Intendant of Town of Prosperity Continues—Another Primary.

The deadlock in the race for intendant at Prosperity continues. For the second time the primary for intendant, in which there were only two candidates, has resulted in a tie vote. In the second primary, held on Tuesday, Dr. J. S. Wheeler and Dr. E. N. Kibler each received forty-nine votes. In the first primary, held the week before, each of the candidates received fifty votes. A third primary will be held on next Tuesday.

It is not recalled that three primaries have ever been necessary in the history of the state to decide a race in which there were only two candidates.

The deadlock has aroused intense interest in the race and the result of the third primary, to be held on next Tuesday, is eagerly awaited. Dr. Wheeler is the present intendant.

"Everyman" Well Presented.

A small audience greeted Rudolph E. Magnus and his original company, in "Everyman," at the opera house on Monday night. The play was sympathetically and intelligently interpreted, and was well presented throughout. There are those who do not delight in a play where all, from start to finish, is deeply serious, where every line carries a stern lesson, the strain not for a single moment being relieved; but, whatever the opinion as to the fitness of "Everyman" for the twentieth century stage, it was well presented by Magnus and his company in Newberry on Monday night.

School Election at Whitmire.

An election will be held at Whitmire on April 4 upon the question of the issue of school bonds for district No. 32. Through an error it was stated in the last issue of The Herald and News that the election would be held on April 29. The date is April 4.

THE LITERARY SOCIETIES.

Attractive Programme for Anniversary Celebration to be Held in Opera House Tonight.

An interesting and attractive programme has been arranged for the annual anniversary celebration of the three literary societies of Newberry college, which will be held in the opera house tonight, the exercises beginning at 8 o'clock. This annual celebration is one of the most interesting events of the entire college year, and always attracts an audience which numbers many people from surrounding counties and from other states.

Following is the programme: Prayer. Music.

President's address—D. H. Taylor, of the Phrenakosmian society.

Phrenakosmian orator, W. E. Derrick—"The Light of Science."

Music.

Debate: "Resolved, That the interests of this republic demand that trusts be abolished." Affirmative, E. B. Houseal and W. E. Pugh, of the Excelsior society; negative, B. V. Chapman and J. E. Hipp, of the Phrenakosmian society.

Music.

Excelsior orator, A. B. Caughman—"Whispering Tongues."

Music.

Philomathian essayist, Miss Louise Jones—"Woman."

Music.

Decision of judges. Benediction.

MR. EVANS SHOWS FIGHT.

Will Stop Unwarranted and Improper Slurs About Him in Newspapers.

The Columbia correspondent of the News and Courier says that while in Columbia this week Chairman H. H. Evans of the state board of control, said that he was tired of newspapers making unwarranted and improper slurs about him and the dispensary, and he was going to see if there was any way to stop it or have the proof produced. He says that he asked his counsel, Mr. William Elliott, Jr., to bring both criminal and civil action against the New Sentinel, of Barnwell, and its editor, G. Marshall Moore, and he is going to press the case or have the proper explanations made.

Some time ago this article appeared in the Barnwell Sentinel, and it is presumably on this that Chairman Evans wishes his attorney to bring a suit or have full retraction made. Said the Sentinel:

"Is Evans to rule South Carolina with a salary of \$400, when many a poor devil with \$600 or \$700 has to scratch for hungry mouths. Ye economists, if ye will, tell us how a man can give box parties, keep daughters at college and be drawn around the streets of Rock Hill in a coach and pair on the pitiful sum of \$400 per annum. There is something rotten in the state of South Carolina, and it reeks from Columbia to Barnwell."

Mr. Evans says that if the editor had inquired in Newberry he would have learned that there is money to be made in successful farming, and that he was holding cotton and corn, as good farmers are doing.

He said he had a bundle of letters from friends and others asking him to run for governor, but he had not decided to do so, but had the matter under consideration. His family did not wish him to enter the race and he was afraid of the expense.

The suggestion is made that there is considerable pressure being brought to have the board revoke or practically nullify the recent decision to bottle here the cheaper grade of case goods. The board has decided that it will not buy case goods, except a few high grade brands—say half a dozen. The pressure is to have the board revoke the order or ignore it and leave the resolution on the record. The board announces that the resolution was adopted to stick and must hold, and that the order will be executed in spirit and reality, and no dollar liquor will hereafter be bought cased, but will be bottled in bulk.

THE FIRST GAME.

Baseball Season in Newberry Today—Newberry vs. Town of Clinton.

The baseball season in Newberry will open this afternoon, when Newberry college will cross bats with a team representing the town of Clinton. The game promises to be interesting and should be well attended. Newberry college expects this season to put out one of the strongest teams in a number of years. Coach Howard Holland has had the team in training since the beginning of the spring weather and it is showing up well. The line-up of the two teams this afternoon will probably be as follows:

Clinton	Newberry
Baldwin	p Simpson or Crouch
Williams	c Cabaniess
Powell	1b Shealy
Fewell	2b Holloway or Wilson
Means	3b Boozier
Jacks	ss Owens
Little	lf Taylor
Cheatham	rf Stoudemire
Chandler	cf Olney

The game will be called at 3.30 o'clock.

Real Estate, Stocks, Bonds, Etc.

Messrs. R. G. Spearman & Co., brokers, who are buying and selling real estate, stocks, bonds, etc., etc., have met with gratifying success. The operations of the firm are not confined to Newberry county alone, but reach into a number of other counties of the state, and the field is steadily widened. In advertising land for sale and lands wanted, houses for rent and houses wanted, etc., the business has made the firm somewhat of an information and immigration bureau also, and has been of convenience to many persons desiring to move to Newberry.

The weather for the past several days has been as pretty as could be desired.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

KEISER'S New Spring Neckwear, the newest thing shown this spring, at A. C. Jones'.

WANTED—By single gentleman, room in private family with or without board. Address B. S. care Herald and News.

THE AMERICAN LADY SHOE made by Hamilton Brown Shoe company just received at A. C. Jones'.

FINE MULES—A. L. Knighton & Co. have returned from the mule markets with a carload of fine mules, which they are selling at reasonable prices.

BANISTER SHOES—Our new Spring styles just received. A. C. Jones.

LOST—Between Newberry and my residence, five miles below Newberry, pocket book containing \$35 and tax receipt of O. T. Feagle. Suitable reward if returned to me or to this office.

L. I. Feagle.

WE HAVE ADDED to our lines, a magnificent assortment of Vests for Spring and Summer both white and fancy. Come and see them. We believe you will be pleased with them. A. C. Jones.

TRESPASS NOTICE—All persons are hereby warned not to trespass on my Baker place by letting stock run at large, hunting, fishing or in any other manner under penalty of the law. Caleb D. Buzhardt.

TRAINED NURSE AND MASSAGE—No. 3 O'Neill Street, Newberry, S. C. Rates \$8 to \$12.50 per week. Best of references from physicians. Miss Clement.

MONEY TO LOAN—We negotiate loans on improved farm lands at seven per cent. interest on amounts over one thousand dollars, and eight per cent. interest on amounts less than \$1,000. Long time and easy payments. Hunt, Hunt & Hunter.